



**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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PUBLIC NOTICE

RE: AMENDED BANKRUPTCY FORMS

The Judicial Conference of the United States has approved amendments to the Voluntary Petition and requirements for a Chapter 11 Order Confirming Plan effective December 1, 2001.

Voluntary Petition

Official Form 1, Voluntary Petition, has been amended to require the debtor to disclose whether the debtor owns or has possession of any property that poses or is alleged to pose a threat of imminent and identifiable harm to the public health or safety. If any such property exists, the debtor must complete and attach Exhibit "C," describing the property, its location and the potential danger it poses. Exhibit "C" will alert the United States Trustee and any person selected as trustee that immediate precautionary action may be necessary.

It is mandatory that the amended Voluntary Petition and Exhibit "C," be used beginning December 1, 2001. These two documents are part of the Court's Petition Filing Package and may be downloaded at no charge from the Court's web site, <www.cacb.uscourts.gov>. These documents may also be purchased from the on-site copy service located in all Central District Divisional Offices.

Order Confirming a Plan (Chapter 11)

The requirements for the Order Confirming a Plan (Chapter 11) were amended to conform to amendments to Rule 3020 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure. Those amendments will require that, if the plan provides for an injunction against conduct not otherwise enjoined under the Bankruptcy Code, the order of confirmation shall describe in reasonable detail all acts enjoined, be specific regarding the injunctions and identify the entities subject to the injunction. Please see Rule 3020 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure for these amended requirements.

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